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AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

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SIR:

Responsive to the Office Action dated January 29, 2008, Applicants request reconsideration in view of the following amendment and remarks.

Amendment to the Specification begins on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Discussion of the Amendment begins on page 7 of this paper and include an attached replacement sheet.

Remarks begin on page 8 of this paper.